

BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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Mailing Online Service: Docket MC98-1

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Notice of Intervention by Dr. John Stapert OFFICE OF THE UNDER FIRE

Pursuant to 39 C.F. R. §3001.20, I hereby indicate my interest in participating in the Postal Rate Commission proceeding to consider the Postal Service's Request for a Market Test and Experimental Mailing Online Service.

My intervention in this proceeding is to be as a proxy for the Coalition of Religious Press Associations (CRPA). Beginning with R87-1, I have represented CRPA before the Commission in several rate and classification proceedings.

Owing to the short time line suggested by the Postal Service for this proceeding, it is not feasible to obtain each religious press association's explicit concurrence and support for an intervention on behalf of CRPA. My activities in the proceeding will, however, reflect the interests of CRPA.

The religious press may have a significant interest in the Postal Service's proposed Mailing Online Services. Certainly the religious press has an interest in the adequacy and integrity of the market testing which the Postal Service proposes to conduct.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document on all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

Dr. John Stapert

July 21, 1998